

DAHLIA COLLECTIONS

LARGE DECORATIVE

Clara Carder—Cyclamen pink.....	.65
D'Arcy Sainsbury—Pure white .....	.75
Mrs. George Le Boutillier—Deep red....	.55
Blue River—Medium orchid.....	.65
Deep Velvet—Giant black red.....	.95
Mayor Otis—Giant copper & bronze.....	.65

One tuber of each \$4.25

CACTUS

Animato—Shell pink miniature.....	.50
Finnesse Anversoise—Chartreuse .....	.90
Orange Prinz—Bright orange.....	.90
Jane Lausche—10 in. rose-mauve.....	.90
Satan—10 in. giant red.....	.75
Thistledown—Early lacy white.....	.75

One tuber of each \$4.50

DAINTY POMPON

Betty Ann—Pink.
Joe Fette—White.
Jessica—Yellow edged red.

Mary Munns—Deep orchid.
Brunette—Dark red.
Vivid—Bright scarlet.

Each 40c

Collection of 6, \$2.00

All bulbs or plants listed in collections may be ordered separately at the each price.



CACTUS DAHLIA, ORANGE PRINZ

DAYLILY COLLECTION NO. 1

7 Varieties for a Long Blooming Season

Starting with Apricot, which blooms at Wilshire Gardens the first week in May, and ending with Ophir, which is still in bloom the middle of September, this group of Daylilies, when well established, will give you color throughout the summer.

APRICOT—Pale yellow .....	.40
*MIKADO—Orange, eyed brown .....	.50
*RAJAH—Nasturtium red .....	.50
GOLDENI—Bright yellow .....	.40
FLORHAM—Deep gold .....	.40
MANDARIN—Pale yellow .....	.50
*OPHIR—Large deep yellow.....	.50

One plant of each \$3.00



DAYLILY, ROSALIND

DAYLILY COLLECTION NO. 2

*HYPERION—Large pale yellow .....	.50
*CABALLERO—Striking bicolor	1.00
*PATRICIA—Yellow, green throat .....	.75
*HONEY REDHEAD—Bright rose-red	1.50
*LINDA—Yellow and pink bicolor .....	.50
*ROSALIND—Clear carmine pink	1.00
*MRS. W. H. WYMAN—Ruffled yellow .....	.50

One plant of each \$5.00

We grow 100 varieties. Ask for our complete list of Daylilies.

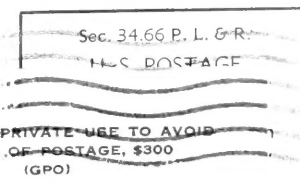
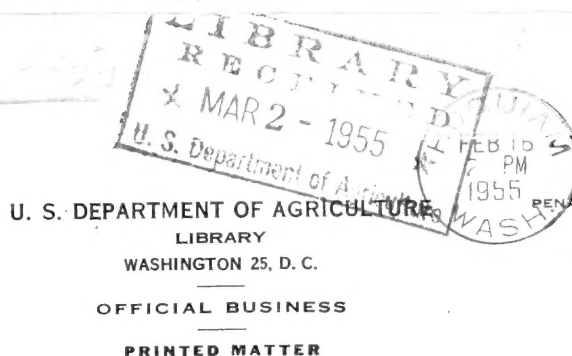
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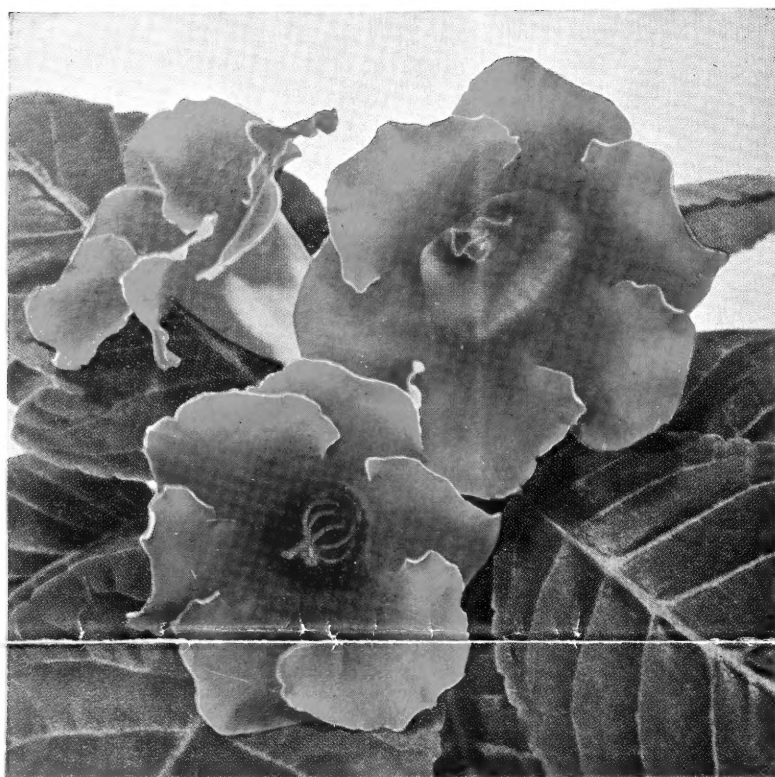
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 - HEMEROCALLIS
 - DAHLIAS
- and OTHER BULBS

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GLOXINIA

TUBEROUS BEGONIAS

This lovely type of Begonia with its large and exquisite blooms is becoming more popular each year. It grows and blooms in shady places, under trees, in beds, in porch boxes, or tubs, in places where other flowers will not thrive. For a long blooming season start the tubers indoors not later than March. They will be ready to set out in beds, porch boxes, hanging baskets, or tubs as soon as the danger of frost is over and will bloom continually until the tops freeze down in the fall. Instructions for planting and care, and for winter storing will be enclosed with your order. Place order early before colors or types are sold out.

DOUBLE CAMELLIA—This is the most popular type, having large double flowers resembling a camellia or rose. Colors are white, pink, rose, yellow, bluish, apricot, orange, dark red, scarlet, salmon, flame, American Beauty.

DOUBLE PICOTEE—Flowers of the same beautiful form as the camellia type but the color is two-toned, the center light, the picotee edge pink, salmon, or red.

CARNATION TYPE (Fimbriata)—Full double type with each petal fringed. Colors: White, pink, rose, yellow, scarlet and salmon.

SINGLE FRILLED—Having four large petals beautifully ruffled or frilled.

Mixed Colors

DOUBLE ROSEBUD—Exquisite flowers resembling perfect rosebuds, with beautiful two-tone pastel shade coloring.

CRESTED TYPE (Cristata)—A beautiful show type, the plants being covered with masses of flowers having a crested formation on each petal.

MARMORATA—Double camellia flowered begonias beautifully mottled red and white.

MULTIFLORA—An extremely free-blooming variety. Many bright colors, in mixture.

HANGING BASKET TYPE—A very attractive type having double flowers similar to the Camellia type but smaller. They should be planted in window boxes, hanging baskets, pots on pedestals, or a shady place in rock garden. They are very showy, covered with masses of blooms. Colors: White, pink, rose, salmon, yellow, scarlet, apricot and orange.

TUBERS in the above types and colors are the largest size, averaging 2 inches and over in diameter.

Per Tuber 40c; 12 for \$4.00

MIXED TYPES AND COLORS—We have a large quantity of the next smaller size tubers which will also make very fine plants and flower abundantly. Mixed only.

3 Tubers 75c, 10 for \$2.25

Wilshire Gardens

HOQUIAM
WASHINGTON

GLOXINIAS

GLOXINIAS are a shade plant grown under similar conditions to Begonias, the tubers being started in peat moss and sand and later planted in pots. Each plant will have many large beautiful blooms. They come in plain colors or in deep colored throats with white edge, the throats being strikingly spotted and mottled. Planting instructions will be included with your order.

BLANCHE DE MERU—Pinkish rose with white throat.

EMPEROR FRIEDERICK—Bright scarlet bordered white.

EMPEROR WILLIAM—Violet bordered white.

ETOILE DE FEU—Light scarlet, compact growth.

MONT BLANC—Clear glistening white.

PRINCE ALBERT—Darkest violet, beautifully frilled.

PRINCESS ELIZABETH—Light blue with white throat.

QUEEN WILHELMINA—A dark rose.

ROI DES ROUGES—Brilliant crimson, huge flower beautifully frilled.

VIOLACEA—Soft violet. Large tubers each 40c; per dozen \$4.00; collection of one each of 10 varieties \$3.85.

TIGRINA

Large flower with a short throat. Entire blossom veined and spotted, in a mixture of pink, blue purple and red marking on white. Extra large tubers each 60c.

ANEMONES

Large single poppy like flowers in brilliant colors. Plant in early spring.

HOLLANDIA—Bright red.

SYLPHIDE—Violet.

MR. FOKKER—Blue.

THE BRIDE—White.

MIXED, all colors.

Per dozen 70c; per 100 \$6.00

ST. BRIGID—Double flowers, mixed colors.

Per dozen 75c; per 100 \$6.50

RANUNCULUS

Beautiful full double flowers in many shades. Red, orange pink, yellow, white and Mixed.

Per dozen 60c; per 100 \$5.00



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CAMELLIA
TYPE
TUBEROUS
BEGONIA



TENUIFOLIUM
"Coral Lily"
12 for \$1.75

hardy garden lilies—

TO PLANT

this spring—

AURATUM (Gold-banded Lily of Japan). Large white flower, each petal spotted deep red, with wide gold band full length of petal.

Large bulbs 50¢ each. 3 for \$1.35

RUBRUM—Frosted white suffused rose pink and spotted red. One of the most beautiful of the Lily family. Grows 3-4 feet. Blooms August.

Large bulbs 55¢ each. 3 for \$1.50

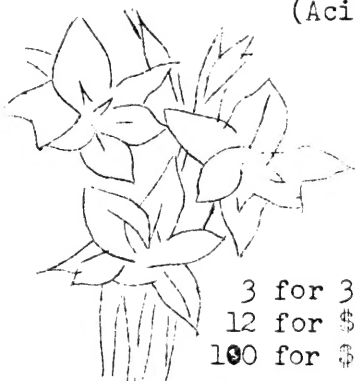
TIGRINUM—The Favorite hardy garden Lily of bright salmon-orange spotted purple-black. Blooms in August. Grows anywhere.

Large bulbs 30¢ each. 3 for 85¢ Doz. \$3.00

REGALE—A July blooming white lily. Very hardy, tall and graceful. Petals white on inside shading to yellow in throat; reverse rose.

Large bulbs 40¢ each. 3 for \$1.15 Doz. \$4.00

ABYSSINIAN GLADIOLUS (Acidanthera)



3 for 35¢
12 for \$1.25
100 for \$10.00

Altho not a true Gladiolus it resembles it very closely. The small corms are handled in the same manner. Flowers are cream white with purple blotch. Distinctive fragrance of each variety— 8 for \$4.25

TRITOMA

The "Red Hot Poker" is similar to the Daylily in culture; a single root soon forming a large clump and a bright point of color in the garden.

ALCAZAR—Soft rose-red \$.60

GOLDMINE—Amber-gold .45

FFITZERI—Orange-scarlet .45

PRIMROSE BEAUTY—primrose.45

SKYROCKET—yellow-red top.60

SPRINGTIME—white, red top.90

VANILLA—Small yellow .45

WHITE GIANT—Ivory white .60

TRITOMA COLLECTION—1 plant

8 for \$4.25

FAIRY LILIES



ROSEApink
12 for 95¢
25 ... \$1.80
100. \$6.75

CANDIDA—white
12 for 80¢
25.. \$1.50
100. \$5.00

Open flower similar to Crocus blooming all summer. Foliage about 6". Plant in groups of at least 3 bulbs.

"The Hemerocallis plants I received from you in the spring were the finest and largest divisions I ever obtained anywhere and are all in bloom."

B. B. Nebraska

"Wish to report the wonderful success I had with my Begonias I bought from you this spring. They have given me the most gorgeous blooms. Everyone calling here gets a thrill. R.P.Wash.

TUBEROSES

Lovely flowers of thick wax-like texture, many double white blooms on a stem. Richly fragrant. Plant after all danger of frost is over. As there is only a small amount of foliage, they should be planted in groups of 3 or more bulbs.

3 for 55¢ 12 for \$2.00

BONUS BOOKS Because WILSHIRE GARDENS ESPECIALLY APPRECIATES

large orders—(office expense being the same on all orders large or small)—we are offering on all orders of \$25.00 or over a free copy of Worth Brown brand new edition of "Tuberous Begonias", off the press this spring.

On orders of \$10.00 or over a copy of SUNSET'S new Garden Book, just published.

AMARYLLIS BULBS

We have a very fine strain of large flowered Amaryllis. Potted now they will bloom in April and May. Brilliant colors selfs, and bi-colors.

Planting instructions with your order.

Largest size bulbs
Each \$2.00



HEMEROCALLIS

DAYLILIES

The gorgeous colors of the modern DAYLILY-pale primrose thru all shades of yellow and orange, shades of pink and red, deep maroon and purple, also two-toned, eyed and bi-colors- as well as its hardiness and freedom from pests and diseases, are making it one of the most popular perennials of the present time. While many varieties bloom in July when there is apt to be a lack of color in the garden, yet by careful selection one may have Daylilies blooming from May to October.

There is a very active Hemerocallis Society which stages national and local Hemerocallis Flower Shows and maintains a test garden. M. Frederick Stuntz is the Check List Compiler for the Society, keeping an accurate list of the hundreds of varieties being grown in all parts of the country, as well as the new varieties introduced each year. If you would like to belong to the Hemerocallis Society, ask us about membership. There are many benefits-bulletins, yearbooks, loan library, rental kodachrome slides---you will enjoy this contact with other amateur and commercial growers.

	Each
ANNA BETSCHER-Deep orange-yellow shaded reddish bronze. July. Height 3'	\$.50
*ANNIS VICTORIA RUSSELL-Very large-clear yellow, very long stems. Outstanding. . .	1.00
APRICOT-Sweet-scented cadmium yellow, reverse of petals brown. One of the earliest .	.40
AUGUST PIONEER-Chrome yellow with red flush. Medium size flowers in profusion . .	.75
AUREOLE-Very early, low-growing variety. Bright orange medium blooms . . . . .	.40
AUTUMN RED-Handsome rich velvety red. Blooms in July and August. . . . .	.50
BAGDAD-Striking flower of coppery red over orange with darker blotch and mid-ribs .	.50
BABY TEARS-Dainty rosy-red with ruffled petals.	1.00
BARONET-Medium size brick red with orange throat. Early flowering. Evergreen . .	.75
BAY STATE-Deep glistening yellow, broad leaves. Tall. Midsummer. . . . .	.50
BEACON-Waxy trumpet shaped flower of deep orange. . . . .	.75
*BLACK FALCON-Large ruffled blackish mahogany, shallow canary yellow cup. 36". .	2.50
BOUTONNIERE-Rosy peach petals, yellow sepals. Small dainty flower. Plant 2½ ft. .	.50
BUCKEYE-Clear orange and mahogany with a red eye. Open evenings. . . . .	.75
CABALLERO-Clear-cut Bi-color. Vermillion red and gold. Mid-summer bloom. 42". .	1.00
CALYPSO-Light lemon-yellow night bloomer. Very large. Fragrant. . . . .	.50
CINNABAR-Rosy brown-red with yellow throat. Long blooming season. . . . .	.50
CRESSIDA-Rich golden star-shaped flower, good size. Good foliage. . . . .	.50
D. D. Wyman-A superb golden yellow with a tawny splash on the petals. Large flowers.	.50
Dr. REGEN- Low growing variety blooming very early. 2'. Deep yellow. Very showy. .	.50
DOMINION-A fine dark medium size flower of reddish brown with yellow throat. 3'. .	.75
EARLIANA- Very early broad-petalled flower of rich golden yellow. Low growing. 2' .	.50
FLAVA(Lemon Lily)-Very fragrant lemon-yellow Daylily blooming with the Iris. . .	.50
FLORHAM-Large bloom of deep gold. Mid-season-early July. Medium height. . . . .	.40
FULVA MACULATA-A species Daylily of burnished rose. Medium height. Blooms in July .	.50
*FULVA ROSEA-Most beautiful of the species Daylilies. Clear rose pink. July. . .	2.00
FULVALO-Very late blooming variety. Dark fulvous in color. 30". . . . .	.50
GAIETY-Wide open, light lemon-yellow flowers of good substance. Tall plant. Early. .	.75
*GAY TROUBADOUR-Bright red petals, yellow mid-stripe, maize yellow sepals. Large. .	2.00
GEORGE YELD-Large recurving flowers of orange suffused bronze-rose. . . . .	.50
GLORIANA-Very tall plant with deep yellow fluted petals. Blooms in June. . . . .	.50
GOLD DUST-Semi-dwarf plant blooming very early. Flowers empire yellow. 1½ feet. .	.50
GOLDEN DREAM-Medium size flower of clear gold. Recurving petals of heavy substance .	.50

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GOLDENI-Low growing plant, many golden flowers to a stem. July.	\$.40
GYPSY-Brilliant orange flowers with fulvous markings. Tall plant. Very striking .	.50
HANKOW-Large rich yellowish orange with bold scarlet eye zone in petals.Striking.	.50
HESPERUS-Large flower of lovely lemon-chrome. Very tall. July. Outstanding. . . .	1.00
HONEY REDHEAD-Bright rose-red with well defined border of pale yellow. Deciduous.	1.50
HYPERION-Large waxy canary yellow flowers. One of the best in size, form & color.	.50
J. A. CRAWFORD-Apricot yellow, slightly fluted and crimped. Tall and vigorous. .	.50
J. R. MANN-Large soft buff-orange with frosty sheen. Evergreen. 3½ feet. . . . .	.50
J. T. RUSSELL-Large two-toned flower of canary yellow marked cinnamon. . . . .	.50
KANPAHA-Entire flower raspberry red without mid-rib or throat markings. Striking.	2.50
KWANSO FLORE PLENO - Double and triple petalled. Vivid reddish orange. Vigorous .	.50
LEMONA-Large flower of lemon yellow blooming in July, deciduous. . . . .	.50
LINDA-Pastel pink over golden yellow petals; sepals bright clear yellow. . . . .	.50
MANDARIN-Large spidery flower of clear pale yellow. Blooms in July. 3 feet. . . .	.50
MARGARET PERRY-Brilliant orange red with yellow throat and midribs. Tall. Showy .	.50
MARTHA WASHINGTON-A lovely shade of old rose. Small flowers. Profuse bloomer .	3.00
MIDENDORFFII-Good dwarf rock garden variety. Bright orange. Early. . . . .	.40
*MIKADO-Mellow orange with a conspicuous spot of mahogany on each petal. Popular .	.50
*MRS. W. H. WYMAN-Dainty flower of glistening pale yellow, petals ruffled. Late. .	.50
*OPHIR-An outstanding variety. Very large flowers of deep yellow. Late June & Sept.	.50
*PAINTED LADY-No. 1 on the Hit Parade of Hemerocallis for three straight years. . .	
A beautiful blend-soft cinnamon over yellow flushed red. Late summer. . . .	3.00
PINK CHARM-Very large deep pink with a shallow yellow-green throat. July. 4' . . .	1.00
PINK LUSTRE-Very large flower of palest cream yellow overlaid with rose shadings.	1.50
PORT-Fine port wine flowers on well branched stems. July blooming. 2½ feet. . . .	1.00
*POTENTATE-Broad pansy-purple favorite. Has been 3 years in the no. 2 place on the Hemerocallis Hit Parade. Won the Stout medal in 1952. Late summer. . . .	7.50
*PURPLE WATERS-Extra strong growing plant; flower of wine-purple. Russell Hybrid. .	1.25
PURPLE SAGE-Also a Russell hybrid. One of the darkest of the purples.	1.50
QUEEN OF MAY-Taller than most of the early varieties. Early June. Pale apricot . .	.50
*RAJAH-Nasturtium red or orange scarlet with a garnet eye-zone. Very striking. Tall	.50
*ROYAL RUBY- A crimson red flower with almost no yellow in the cup. 38". July-Aug .	3.00
SIR MICHAEL FOSTER-Large apricot yellow with broad ruffled petals. Early. 3½ ft. .	.50
SOVEREIGN-Semi-dwarf early. Flowers chrome yellow shaded brown on the back. . . .	.50
SYLVIA-Rose-pink petals tinged brown, sepals lemon. Strong growing plant. July. .	1.00
TANGERINE-Dark burnt orange with buds tinged red. Semi-dwarf. 20". May-June. . .	.75
TEJAS-Rich bright red with orange throat. 4" flower. June. Height 3 feet. . . . .	.75
THE GEM-A rich shade of yellow. Flowering season July-August. Height 3 feet. . .	.50
THERON-Deep red-purple with pale orange throat. Petals somewhat twisted at the ends..	.75
THUNBERGII-A yellow species variety similar to Flava but blooming in mid-summer. .	.50
VULCAN-Light maroon-red, faint golden brown mid-rib, orange-red throat. Evergreen.	1.00
WAU-BUN-Yellow flushed red. Broad petals twisted at ends. June-July. 3 feet. . .	.50

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All varieties marked with * were on the list of "100 Best Daylilies"
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RED, LEMON & GOLD COLLECTION-----

MIDENDORFFII	AMARYLLIS
MIKADO	GOLDEN DREAM
FLAVA	GYPSY
BAGDAD	LINDA

8 large plants-\$3.50

And if you wish to enclose 40¢ for shipping costs we will include one plant of RAJAH.

STARTER COLLECTION-----

APRICOT	MANDARIN
GOLDENI	THUNBERGII
LEMONA	MRS. W.H.WYMAN
MARGARET PERRY	DR. REGEL

8 large plants for \$3.00

And 40¢ extra on the shipping costs will bring a large plant of Hyperion.

